

**WRITING ASSESSMENT**  
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**G 9**

I DISAGREE WITH THE OPINION THAT ALL AMERICANS, BOTH MEN AND WOMEN, SHOULD BE REQUIRED TO PERFORM TWO YEARS OF MILITARY SERVICE. PEOPLE SHOULD NOT BE FORCED TO DO ~~SOMETHING~~ SOMETHING. PEOPLE SHOULD ESPECIALLY NOT BE FORCED TO DO SOMETHING THEY DO NOT WANT TO DO. FORCING SOMEONE TO SERVE TWO YEARS IN THE MILITARY IS LIKE <sup>FORCING</sup> ~~FORCING~~ SOMEONE TO GO AND DIE. IF THEY ARE ~~NOT~~ NOT LUCKY, AND IT HAPPENS. MANY PEOPLE ALSO CAN NOT HANDLE SOME OF THE DUTIES THE MILITARY GIVE THEM. MANY PEOPLE ALSO WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO HANDLE THE TRAINING IT TAKES TO BECOME A SOLDIER. IF SOMEONE IS FORCED TO SERVE IN THE MILITARY THEY MIGHT GET MAD LATER ON DOWN THE ROAD AND START KILLING HIS FELLOW SOLDIERS, IT IS A POSSIBILITY. THAT WOULD ALSO BE LIKE FORCING SOMEONE TO GO AND GET INJURED, JUST BECAUSE SOMEONE TOLD THEM THEY HAD TO JUST TO LIVE IN THIS COUNTRY <sup>AND NOT</sup> ~~AND NOT~~ <sup>UNLESS</sup> ~~UNLESS~~ THE PUNISHMENT WOULD BE IF YOU DID NOT SERVE TWO YEARS IN THE MILITARY. IT WOULD MAKE A LOT OF PEOPLE WANT TO LEAVE THE COUNTRY BECAUSE OF IT. ~~MUCH MORE~~ MUCH MORE PEOPLE WOULD DIE THAT DID NOT NEED TO BECAUSE OF IT.

**Score Point: 3**

This response reflects limited proficiency in persuasive writing skills. The writer is clearly opposed to requiring all Americans to perform two years of military service. Two key ideas are presented to support this position (people should not be forced to do something they do not want to do; many people would not be able to handle the training). The writer provides some explanation of the key ideas, but word choice is limited and repetitive. Further development of key ideas and more control of the organization would be required for a higher score.